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## CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM

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Subject: Renewal of Membership in the Traffic Improvement Association (TIA)

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### **History**

The City of Troy has been a member of the TIA since 1975. The TIA is a private non-profit organization that is responsive to the problems and needs of local traffic officials. They are a source for traffic facts, including traffic crashes and traffic operations data. The City of Troy obtains citywide traffic crash statistics including intersection and road segment crash reports and ranking, county traffic crash trends, location-specific crash details, and alcohol-related statistics from the TIA. As a TIA member, they are provided without charge.

The TIA works with the Troy Police Department on several enforcement-related projects and grants, including recent and ongoing speed limit studies in order for the City of Troy to be compliant with Public Act 85. They facilitated the Police Department in obtaining \$37,679 in the past year for federal grants. The TIA also works with our adjacent communities to improve traffic in the general area which can be a secondary benefit to the City.

### **Purchasing**

N/A

### **Financial**

The renewal membership fee for the year 2024 is \$29,800. Funds are available in the Police Department's Operating Funds, Membership and Dues.

### **Recommendation**

It is recommended that the City of Troy renew its membership with the Transportation Improvement Association. The partnership the City has developed with the TIA over the past 40 years has led to many collaborative efforts that have enhanced traffic safety in our community.